

RECEIVED **CENTRAL FAX CENTER**

MAY 2 5 2004

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Deanna R. Kathumbi-Jackson et al.

Docket No.:

17697

Serial No .:

10/038.971

Group No.:

3761

Confirmation No.: 9577

Examiner:

Karin M. Reichle

Filed:

December 31, 2001

For:

LABIAL PAD

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 **ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450**

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) Before First Office Action or Within Three Months of Filing Date

1 Page(s) of PTO Form 1449

2 Document(s)

47 Total pages, including this page

is being transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office via facsimile addressed to:

> **Commissioner for Patents** Fax number: 703-872-9306

on: May 25, 2004

Stephen T. Carey

(Type or print name of person transmitting paper)

(Signature of person transmitting paper)

RECEIVED OFFICIAL CENTRAL FAX CENTER

In the United States Patent and Trademark Office

Applicant:

Deanna R. Kathumbi-Jackson et al.

Docket No.: 17697

Serial No.:

10/038,971

Group No.: 3761

Confirmation No.: 9577

0577

Examiner:

920 721 0279 TO 917038729306

Karin M. Reichle

Filed:

December 31, 2001

Date:

May 25, 2004

For:

LABIAL PAD

Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)

Before First Office Action or Within Three Months of Filing Date

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. BOX 1450 ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97 et seq., Applicants, through and by their attorneys, hereby wish to direct the Examiner's attention to the documents listed on the modified PTO 1449 Form.

By inclusion of any given document in this Information Disclosure Statement, Applicants in no way admit that such document is effective as prior art against the above-identified application under either 35 U.S.C. 102 or 35 U.S.C. 103.

Additionally, submission of any document is not to be taken as an admission of the materiality of the document to the prosecution of the present application.

The Examiner is requested to review each cited document and personally determine its prior art status.

Applicants recommend that the Examiner conduct an independent search for any and all available material prior art and independently review the results of such search and the documents cited within this Statement.

Applicants request the Examiner, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97, to indicate and make of record receipt and review of all of these documents by initialing the appropriate box in the accompanying PTO-1449. Applicants request that the undersigned receive a copy of the initialed PTO-1449.

If the Examiner refuses to consider any or all of the herein submitted materials because it is the Examiner's opinion that this Information Disclosure Statement is not in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97,

Serial No.: 10/038,971

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner notify the undersigned, in writing, as to the basis of such opinion.

Please charge any prosecutional fees which are due to Kimberly-Clark Worldwide, Inc. deposit account number 11-0875.

The undersigned may be reached at: 920-721-2435.

Respectfully submitted,

DEANNA R. KATHUMBI-JACKSON et al.

Rv.

Paul Yee

Registration No.: 29,460

Page 1 of 1

List of Patents and Publications for Information Disclosure Statement

Applicant(s): Deanna R. Kathumbi-Jackson

Docket No.: 17697

Serial No.:

10/038,971

Group:

3761

Filed:

December 31, 2001

Examiner:

Karin M. Reichle

Initials	1	Doc. No.	0.5.	Patent Documents				
imuais	1		Date	Name	Class	Subclass	Filin	g Dati
	A1	4,166,464	09/1979	Korpman				
-	A2	5,849,003	12/1998	Olsen et al.				-
	A3							
	A4							
	A5							
	A6							
	A7							
<u> </u>	A8							
	A9						1	
	A10						 	
			Foreig	n Patent Documents				
Initials		Dec Ma					Trans.	
inuais		Doc. No.	Date	Country	Class	Subclass	Yes	No
	A1							
	A2							
	A3			· ·				
	A4							
	A5					***		
	A6							
				her Documents				
nitials		Author, Title, Date, Pages, etc.						
	A1		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·					.,
	A2			· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
	A3							
	$\overline{}$							

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include a copy of this form with your next communication.

Examiner:

Date Considered:

Form PTO-1449 (Modified)